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The Director Central Intelligence Agency

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Honorable George Mahon, Chairman Committee on Appropriations House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

I am forwarding for your information, a copy of a statement which I have prepared on the subject of personnel reductions in the Operations Directorate of the Central Intelligence Agency. I have discussed this subject with the two Select Committees on Intelligence and will be happy to discuss the matter personally with you and with your Defense Subcommittee at your convenience.

Yours sincerely,

Enclosure

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